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Letter from Rev. A. Browning.

FORT HOPE, March 26, 1861.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—The use of cant terms and vague sentimentalisms are but "poor things" in controversy, and never more so than when used in connection with Bishop Hills and his professed champions. The issue is not a mere religious one, nor is it confined to denominational differences,—hence all professed show of christian forbearance as touching the principles at stake, is the offspring of innocence or design.

"Mary" may indulge in conventional platitudes, Bishop Hills may transpose the truth, and the Rev. Mr. Pringle rush on the road of defamation to public scorn; but we, with one of old, prefer the plain evidence of facts to all declarations.

There is method in the Bishop's madness, and every well considered misrepresentation of his, and every pretentious act of his subordinates, are but means to an end, that end being an exclusive priesthood and a dominant church. The Bishop weds nonconformity to Episcopacy in the good town of Yale; and Miss Coutts records the marriage in the *Times*. The end may (?) sanctify the means. Yale, in its humility, protests against the record and pronounces it a forgery. The Bishop states "The chairman, an American and a *Presbyterian*, called upon all present to adopt the Church of England as their religion, as a church in which they could have confidence."

The chairman, J. Kurtz, Esq., who by the way is a Baptist, told me that his then expressions of antagonism to the system of England's Church, caused the Bishop to controvert his (the chairman's) expressed views; and this week several "good men and true," who were present at the meeting referred to, assure me (and they are not afraid to publicly record this) that the Bishop's account of the chairman's speech is totally contrary to fact. The Presbyterians among the "humbler classes" have not forgotten "the solemn league and covenant;" nor do they choose to become recreants, although a bishop declare it and a lady patroness publish the declaration. The Bishop inverts; it is left for the Rev. Mr. Pringle to descend still lower and defame where he fails to silence.

With what holy horror this gentleman deprecates the secular press as a medium of theological controversy; and with what unction he makes that press the vehicle of a slander as vile as it is inaccurate. Dr. Evans repeated what Mr. Robson informed him of—"that Mr. Pringle had received annoyance while preaching on Murderer's Bar." Where is the wrong that could warrant the defaming paragraph in Mr. Pringle's letter? Mr. Robson had full warrant for stating what he did to Dr. Evans; and in the very town honored by the presence of Mr. Pringle, evidence is forthcoming as to its truthfulness. Shame, Mr. Pringle, "doff that lion's hide and hang a calf skin on those recreant limbs." But I now accuse Mr. Pringle of positive untruthfulness and unfair representations, and happy should I be could he clear himself as fully as Dr. Evans can purge himself of the foul slander just alluded to. Mr. Pringle writes that "I first tried Yale, then returned to Hope; and after a few days then [trying again, I presume] went to the Similkameen." I will simply say that I never saw Yale until *after* my return from the Similkameen; that Mr. Pringle left Hope for the Similkameen the same morning as myself, but becoming disgusted with attendant difficulties, turned back at the end of sixteen miles. That I intended returning to Hope as much as Mr. Pringle himself, after visiting the Similkameen, and stated as much to a gentleman now a member of the Vancouver House of Assembly, whom I met on my way to the Similkameen valley. The term "tried Yale," is, in its hidden meaning, as vicious as its assertion is false. Did it come to a trial of sects, Episcopalianism in Yale, as in the whole of British Columbia, would most certainly be found wanting. Will Mr. Pringle, in addition to his statistics of relative congregations, give us with it the relative positions of Episcopacy and Nonconformity in British Columbia? I fancy the exposure is even too much to be dreaded by himself, in spite of his possessing so much of the virtue of assurance. Mr. Pringle I presume, is in Victoria to collect monies for the purpose of building a church at Hope. His presence there, heralded by an advertisement, whose principal characteristic is concealment.

Ignoring the existence of Nonconformists in Hope, and impaling the Catholics on the horns of implied denunciation (to his own satisfaction) proves himself to be the sole representative of clerical morals in Hope. Is this honest? and is it morally right for Mr. Pringle, with a congregation of ten persons, to collect monies from Wesleyans and others for the purpose of building a church capable of seating hundreds?

The Church of England may "minister to souls," but this looks very like ministering to personal ambition at the expense of individual rectitude.

Deploring with Mr. Pringle our too small congregations at Hope, I also (unlike him) deplore that the exclusive and sectarian spirit manifested by the Anglican Clergy is but too well calculated to decimate their own audiences and injure those of their neighbors. Fortunately, neither Bishop Hills, nor Rev. Pringle fairly represent the Episcopalian element in British Columbia. Their ultraisms are condemned by not a few of their own church; men who see good elsewhere than at home, and while calling them friends, I would not wish them other than what they are—members of an Evangelical faith.

Yours,

A. BROWNING.

P. S. Mr. Pringle will find a letter of mine in the *Christian Guardian*, published in Toronto Canada, West. The paper is of recent date and can be seen at Dr. Evans'. I should not be ashamed to see it in the COLONIST, nor would Mr. Pringle find in it anything untruthful or malicious. Facts again are superior to declarations, the public being the judges.

A. B.

Sloop "Photograph."

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—My attention was to-day directed to an item in your issue of this morning under the heading of "Photographic Views," in which I think two or three slight errors occur, which, with your permission, I will correct. It is true there are two of us here, and we are both Canadians; but the enterprise is not our's alone. There is a company organized in Canada known as "The World's Panorama Company." The following quotations from the constitution of the company will fully explain their designs: "The purpose for which the said company is formed is to commence, mature, complete, and publicly exhibit, a panorama of the entire route from New York to some point on Fraser River, to be decided upon by the agents who are engaged on the northwest coast, including the West Indies, Aspinwall, Panama, Acapulco, San Francisco, Straits of San Juan del Fuca, Vancouver Island, Victoria city, Puget Sound, San Juan, Fraser River, British Columbia, &c., &c.; said panorama to connect with a panorama of such portions of the Eastern Hemisphere as may be deemed advisable, especially Palestine and its associations." In this work each member is quietly though busily engaged; and I am happy to say the work is progressing admirably, from the fact that each man in the company is an artist, and from *choice a working man.* Our sketches and views are not forwarded to the States, but to Canada; and the whole is intended to be exhibited at the World's Fair, on June 2d, as a specimen of Canadian Art; while I am authorized to say no pains or expense will be spared on the part of the company to make it serve the interest of these colonies. Victoria city, New Westminster, &c., will be placed on canvas in full. The Governor's residence, Parliament building, Chapels, and COLONIST office will be represented on side sheets. Bad weather now detains us here, while about four weeks of fine weather will enable us to complete our work on the coast, when, on my return to Canada, two, if not three, more Canadian artists will be employed. With your permission I will inform you further in due time respecting these matters.

Yours, respectfully,

J. A. MILLER,

President of the World's Panorama Company.

THAT'S THE KIND OF TALK.—In answer to a late traitorous appeal to surrender his ship, Commander W. D. Porter, of the United States ship St. Marys, stationed at Panama, has written a spirited and patriotic letter to J. H. Hamilton, late Lieutenant in the Navy, and says:

You, sir, have called upon your brother officers, not only to become traitors to their country, but to betray their sacred trust, and deliver up the ships under their command. This infamous appeal would, in ordinary times be treated with the contempt it deserves. But I feel it a duty I owe to myself and brother officers with whom I am associated, to reply and state that all under my command are true and loyal to the stars and stripes and to the Constitution. My duty is plain before me. The Constitutional Goverment of the United States has entrusted me with the command of this beautiful ship, and before I will permit any other flag to fly at her peak than the stars and stripes, I will fire a pistol in her magazine and blow her up. This is MY answer to your infamous letter.

ROYAL FAMILIES.—The following personal items about royal families are interesting: Since January 1, 1860, fourteen members of the sovereign families of Europe have expired. The Princes were Jerome Bonaparte, formerly King of Westphalia; Prince Danilo, Sovereign of Montenegro, who was assassinated; Prince Schamburg-Lippe; Paul William, Duke of Wurtemburg; the Prince of Syracuse, uncle of Ferdinand II of Naples; the Grand Duke of Mecklenburg-Strelitz; and now, latest of all, the King of Prussia. The Princesses were the Dowager Queen of Sweden, widow of Bernadotte; Frederica Louisa, Empress Dowager of Russia, sister of the King of the Belgians; Princess Caroline, widow of the Prince of Hohensollern Hechingen, and, at Constantinople, the Princess Nazle Hanem, sister of Said Pacha, and eldest daughter Mahemet Ali.

MESALLIANCE IN HIGH LIFE.—It seems that the late Duke de Berri, on quitting the army of Conde at Coblentz, went to England, where he was smitten by a handsome and respectable girl of the name of Brona, to whom he was married according to the laws of the country and the rites of the Catholic church. The event took place just after the Bonaparte and Patterson alliance. The Duke lived with his wife ten years, and was well known to Louis XVIII. and the royal family. In 1816 the Duke was compelled to marry a Neapolitan Princess, sister of the late King of Naples, and the issue is now the legitimate pretender to the French throne. By his first and lawful wife he had one daughter, who, with her mother, was well provided for, and both are supposed to be now living. This statement has caused considerable excitement in France, and is pronounced false and malicious by the Orleanists.

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H. B. CAMPBELL, Secretary.

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS WHO MAY BE INdebted, or have any claims against the Estate of the late JOHN MILES, are hereby requested to send in an account of the same before the 12th of April next to

EDWARD GREEN, One of the Executors.

Victoria, V. I., March 26, 1861. ma27

Bark Nanette.

NOTICE.

MR. JAS. LOWE AND MR. A. F. MAIN are authorised by me to act in the settlement of all accounts connected with the wrecked bark Nanette. Consignees are respectfully requested to furnish these gentlemen with any information in the shape of copies of Invoices, or otherwise tending towards the identification of the propietorship of opened packages that have been sold.

ALEX'R. C. ANDERSON, Agent for Lloyds'

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Dissolution of Copartnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore existing between Phillip Smith and Robert P. Ritchie, at Douglas and Cayoosh Flat, under the name and style of Smith & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Phillip Smith will pay all debts and liabilities and collect all debts due the concern. Phillip Smith will sign the name of the firm in settlement of the business.

PHILLIP SMITH.
ROBT. P. RITCHIE.

Witnesses: OLIVER HARE. WILLIAM WHIDDEN. JOHN PEARMAN.

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VICTORIA, Nov. 17th, 1860.

Thursday Morning, April 4, 1861.

Home Productions--Tar, Turpentine, Camphene,

There is a very general impression abroad that our illimitable pine forests can only be turned to account by using them for fuel, or by sawing them up into lumber, or cutting them down for spars and shipbuilding purposes. There can be no question that in such ways our forests may employ more intelligent labor and capital; may tend more to build up a foreign trade and add to our tonnage than in any other way. It is matter for regret that we have not more Stamps to invest each their $100,000 in erecting their establishments to manufacture and export their lumber Yet—notwithstanding our lamentable dependence on Puget Sound for lumber, and the lack of lumbering enterprise in the colony—there is a wide field for enterprise in both colonies by making our pine forests productive with comparatively a small amount of labor and capital. In turning over the imports of this port for the last two years, there is one item, the product of the pine, that, for a sparsely populated country like ours, is consumed in large quantities for light—we mean camphene. The article now amounts to a necessity, and can only be superseded by gas itself. In order to give an idea of the amount imported we have compiled the following table:

1859.

	Cases.	Value.
Quarter ending Sept. 30	165	$1729
Quarter ending Dec. 31	140	1669
Total	305	$3398

1860.

	Packages.	Value.
Six months ending Dec. 31	751	$11,393

1861.

	Cases.	Value.
January	90	$1100
February	315	3545
March	170	2175
Total	575	$6820

The quantities in cases or packages is not defined. The value, however, is likely to be below the mark. Taking the last six months of 1860 as a criterion, the amount imported annually would be 1502 packages, valued at $22,786. But if we take the returns for the first three months of this year, it would sum up a total in December next of 2200 cases, valued at $27,280. Thus we presume there would be an increase of $5000 in the consumption of camphene in 1861 over 1860. In round numbers, allowing for an increase in light, the imports of camphene for 1861 may be set down at $30,000.

Camphene is only turpentine distilled so as to free it from its resinous impurities. Turpentine is the juice of the pine tree distilled. The camphene which we import is manufactured or distilled in San Francisco from turpentine imported from the Atlantic States. The difference in the wholesale price between the imported turpentine in San Francisco and the re-distilled article or camphene is seldom more than ten cents. If turpentine is $1, camphene is $1 10. The quantity prepared and consumed on this coast is enormous. Everywhere it is the great substitute for gas. Having interminable forests of pine, besides possessing a home consumption of $30,000, it is our purpose to divert attention to the production of the raw turpentine from the pine, the distillation of the raw article, and the re-distillation of the distilled commodity.

The great turpentine territory of the continent is now in North and South Carolina, Georgia and Florida; but more particularly in the former. Along the eastern coast of the two first States, there is a district stretching over 236 miles long; and in the entire region scarcely a farm or garden, the forest being wholly devoted to the production of turpentine. A recent traveller in this region, writing to the Boston *Commercial Bulletin*, gives the following account of the manner in which it it extracted from the pine:

Early in the season, say along in the vicinity of the first of March, the pine trees are boxed and chipped. Boxing is to cut a whole or box in the trunk of the tree, about a foot from the ground, large enough to hold a quart or two of the sap or turpentine, and above that the bark is chipped off two or three feet each season, until the height of from ten to fifteen feet is reached. From time to time three or four boxes are made in each tree, which is correspondingly chipped. The turpentine is dipped from the tree into buckets, and from thence conveyed to barrels. The ladle is an iron "scoop," which is, however, rather flat in shape than otherwise; but as the turpentine is adhesive, there is no difficulty in dipping it. From a pint to a quart is taken out at each dipping, and sometimes seven dippings are made in a season. A tree lives under this process about fifteen years.

The principal labor employed in the dipping (which is always during warm or hot weather) is black, under the direction of white laborers, who superintend the turpentine distilleries, by which the sap of the pine tree is converted into spirits of turpentine and rosin.

The pine forests are owned in large tracts, and the principal part of the labor, free and slave, come from sections of the State where the slave property is owned, but hired out. It puts a great amount of money into circulation. From $175 to $250 per annum is paid for the slave labor, but the white labor is better compensated.

At Wilmington, in the turpentine distilleries, in the coopering establishments, and in every branch of the turpentine labor, hardly a white man is to be seen. The proportion of white men through the pine forest region is somewhat greater.

Here, where Indian labor could be had far cheaper than slave labor in North Carolina; here, where we have vast pine forests located in situations where it is impossible to make them into lumber on paying terms, we believe that turpentine may be produced in immense quantities. We may not only supply it for the uses of the painter, and for redistillation into camphene for home consumption; but it may be turned to a practical account as an export. If we could supply San Francisco with the distilled turpentine as cheap or cheaper than she could import it from the Atlantic States, we might have a certain market at our very doors without the fear of a successful competitor on the coast. The labor of boxing and clipping the trees, and collecting it in barrels for the distillery could be done entirely by Indians, under white overseers. On the West Coast, the north end of this Island, and along the North West Coast, the Indians are most numerous, and may be used most advantageously.

Besides turpentine, there is also vegetable tar, pitch, and rosin produce from the pine. Tar is produced chiefly by burning the pieces of dead pine wood, in which the turpentine has been collected. It is burned under slow combustion, like charcoal is made, the wood-pile being covered with earth, the fire lighted at the top, and the tar falls into a conductor which conveys it away to be barreled. From the tar, pitch is made, and in the distillation of the raw turpentine or pure sap, the residue is the rosin of commerce. So far as home consumption is concerned, neither tar, pitch, or rosin, would amount to a very great deal; but as an export to San Francisco and South America, and for the whole fleet of the Sandwich Islands, and for the commerce of countries on the Pacific, it would serve us as a very considerable item in the export trade.

THE SANTA CRUZ.—We understand from the *British Colonist* that a proposition has been offered Capt. Staples to run from San Francisco to Victoria direct, twice a month. If it will not interfere with her regular trip time, the boat will also touch the Sound ports. The amount offered by citizens of Victoria is $2000 per month, the contract to hold three months. The Santa Cruz has gone direct to San Francisco, and it is more than likely that the arrangement will be effected. We earnestly hope it may be, and would prefer dependence on foreign enterprise for steam communication with San Frandisco to none at all—as at present.—*P. T. Northwest.*

We are glad to find the *Northwest* speaking out so plainly on the subject. Every shoulder applied to the wheel will assist us in getting the wagon to the top of the hill; and in case the subsidy offered the company is considered insufficient, maybe our friends on the Sound would help to swell it to a still larger sum. Puget Sound would be benefitted proportionably with Victoria, and we have no objection to a helping hand from that quarter.

ISRAELITES.—Seven thousand Polish Jews recently passed through Posen, on their way to the United States. The German papers say that such an exodus of the children of Israel has not been witnessed since that out of Egypt. There are 7,000 German Jews in the city of New York.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Victoria Loan Company,

JOHNSON STREET.

MONEY ADVANCED ON GOLD AND Silver Watches, Jewelry, Diamonds and Precious Stones, Wearing Apparel, Guns, Pistols, Furniture, Bedding, etc., etc. Musical Instruments, and every kind of Movable Property.

Private entrance—Waddington street.

JOHN J. LEVI, Manager.

ap4 1m

Real Estate and Household Furniture

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

P. M. BACKUS, Auctioneer,

WILL SELL ON

TUESDAY, April 9th, 1861,

ON THE PREMISES,

At 12 o'clock, A. M.,

ALL THE

Household Furniture

OF A. G. DALLAS, Esq.,

Government st., consisting of

Two splendid French Clocks, Morocco Sofa and Arm Chair, (brown holland covers to each,) Vis-a-vis, two Arm Chairs, Chests of Drawers with desk and two black cases for same, forming Book Case or Cupboard; two Buhl Cabinets and 3 Buhl Tables; 1 Hertz upright Piano; Window Curtains, Mattresses, Marble-top Tables, Mirrors, Cane-seat Chairs, Carpets, Oil Cloth, Matting, Beds and Bedding, Lamps, Maps, Candlesticks, Table Covers, Plated Ware, Cooking Stove, Kitchen Furniture, etc.; Barometer, Thermometer, Telescope, etc.

Immediately after the sale at Mr. Dallas' House, will be sold in the Fort Yard and in Warehouse No. 1, the following:

1 grey saddle and working Horse,
A bay Horse, suitable for a Ladies' saddle Horse,

—ALSO—

2 Wagons, 1 Water cart, 1 Dump cart, 12 Plows, 1 Turning Machine, 15 cases of unclaimed Luggage stored by miners in '58, Window Sashes, Scotch Caps, Butt hinges, Cormack's Reaper, and a variety of articles too numerous to mention.

At 12 o'clock precisely,

Will be sold the House, together with Lot No. 1, Block 75, situate on the corner of Government and Broughton streets, having a frontage on Government street of 36¼ feet by a depth of 73 feet on Broughton street, the whole more or less.

Terms and Conditions of Sale

FOR HOUSE AND LOT.

FIRST—Twenty-five per cent of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale, and the balance thereof at any time within three years from the day of sale, with interest thereon after the rate of one per cent per month, payable quarterly.

SECOND—All taxes and assessments which shall be imposed upon or in respect of the land and house sold must be paid when due by the purchaser.

THIRD—Failing compliance with any or all of the above conditions, all previous partial payments will be forfeited, and the land and house will revert to the Hudson Bay Company.

FOURTH—Conveyances in due form will be executed in compliance with the above mentioned conditions without charge to the purchaser.

FIFTH—The purchaser to remove the house at his own expense on to Lot 1, Block 75, within thirty days from the day of sale, or to any other lot he may choose.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The VICTORIA NEWS DEPOT, Government street, north of Yates street, receives by every steamer from San Francisco a large supply of newspapers and magazines, which are sold at the following established prices: American newspapers and Illustrated papers, 3 for 25 cents; English papers, 20 cents each; Harper's Magazine, Blackwood's Magazine, Chambers' Journal, All the Year Round, and the Magazines of Fashion, 25 cents each; Cornhill and Eclectic Magazines, 50 cents each. Parties residing in British Columbia or Washington Territory may have them sent to them regularly at the same prices by sending the cash with the order.

Files of the London Times, Liverpool Post and Manchester Guardian, received by every steamer and filed for the accomodation of the patrons of the VICTORIA NEWS DEPOT. ma7 1m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

To all whom it may Concern.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on the 8th day of April, A. D., 1861, the private way of the undersigned through section LXXVI, Victoria District, will be entirely closed against traffic of any kind for 24 hours, in order to maintain the right and property of the undersigned therein

BENJAMIN W. PEARSE.

Fernwood, April 3, 1861 ap4 1d

A CARD.

To the Members of the St. Andrew's Society.

GENTLEMEN: WE, THE UNDERsigned, beg to return our most grateful thanks to your Association for the kindness and promptitude with which your Society through its representatives, Messrs. McKay and Clink, procured a conveyance to town and accommodation, clothing, and medical treatment for us, after our sufferings from the capsizing of the schooner E. Roeder. We also beg to return our thanks especially to the Chaplain of your Society, Mr. MacFie, for his untiring exertions on our behalf. Likewise to Mr. and Mrs. Henley for their alleviation of our distress.

We are, Gentlemen, your obedient servants,

JAMES FRAZER, Capt.
JOHN MORRISON.
MICHAEL McNAMARA.

MARTIN & BROS.,

Wholesale Grocers,

11 Wharf Street, Victoria, V. I.

S. MARTIN, HAVING RETURNED from San Francisco with a new and well selected Stock of

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,

Is now prepared to supply his old friends and patrons with goods in his line at the

Lowest Market Rates.

IN STORE AND FOR SALE, ex recent arrivals:

400 mats China Rice,
60 ½ bbls Pork,
20 bbls brine Hams,
10 bbls Barber's Hams,
10 tkns Butter,
20 kegs Lard,
25 ½ bbls Dried Apples,
25 ½ bbls do do
25 chests Black Tea,
10 cases fresh Tomatoes,
10 cases Preserved Limes (in glass)
10 kegs Pearl Barley,
15 boxes Castile Soap,

And a general assortment of

CASE GOODS.

—ALSO—

A lot of Dates, Walnuts, Raisins and Figs.

☞ All orders from the country will be promptly attended to.

S. MARTIN, Victoria.

A. MARTIN, San Francisco. a3 1m

Tumwater Mills Flour,

FOR SALE IN QUANTITIES TO SUIT by EDGAR & AIME, Wharf street, near Yates.

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AUCTION.

On Thursday, April 4th, 1861,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

AT SALESROOM, WHARF STREET,

Special Hardware Sale,

ON A LIBERAL CREDIT,

To close Consignment, consisting in part of—

Table and Pocket Cutlery, Butcher's Knives, Bowie Knives, Rimlocks, Latches, Dog Chains, Rattraps, Pins, Cruetstands, Block tin Coffee and Tea Pots, Lanterns, Lamps, Looking Glasses, Coral and Pearl Buttons, Saucepans, Funnels, Coffee-roasting Machines, Matches, Sewing-twine, Gold and Silver Trimmings, Iron Bedsteads, etc., etc.

—ALSO—

A beautiful assortment of Button Metal Tea and Coffee Pots,

—ALSO—

An Invoice of Enamelled Ware.

TERMS AT SALE.

On Saturday, April 6, 1861,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

For Account of whom it may Concern:

Schooner "Nonpareil,"

(Formerly the American Schooner Eclipse,)

Built at Oak Harbor in Washington Territory, together with Cooking Stove with utensils complete, Paint and Paint Brushes, Pitch, Tar, etc., etc

—ALSO—

A quantity of Lumber all complete for a new Cabin ready to be put together.

Parties wishing to examine the above vessel can have an opportunity of doing so by calling on

J. A. McCREA, Auctioneer.

a2 td

Alexander Stenhouse,

BEGS TO ANNOUNCE THAT HE HAS opened an office on Yates street, opposite Waddington Alley, as a

HOUSE AND LAND AGENT,

and will give his best attention to all the different branches of

REAL ESTATE BUSINESS

Either in selling, buying, or leasing of property, negotiating loans, &c., and will attend to the

COLLECTION OF RENTS, NOTES,

Debts, and Accounts.

Conveyances, Leases, &c., drawn up at reasonable rates. Attached to his office is a

Labor and Intelligence Mart,

where all those in need of employment, are solicited to register their names, ap2 1m

UNDERTAKING.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A COMPLETE Stock on hand, is now prepared to execute any order therewith, on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

The Trade Supplied.

R. LEWIS,

Corner of Government and Broughton streets,

ap3 tf Victoria.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PROCLAMATION.

Vancouver Island.

By His Excellency JAMES DOUGLAS, Companion of the most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Vancouver Island and its Dependencies, Vice Admiral of the same, etc., etc., etc.

WHEREAS, the House of Assembly convened on the 1st day of March, 1860, has been prorogued until the 3d day of April, 1861,

Now, I, James Douglas, do proclaim and declare that the said House of Assembly is hereby prorogued until TUESDAY, the 7th day of May next ensuing.

{L. S.} Issued under the Public Seal of the said Colony, at Victoria, this second day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty one, and in the twenty-fourth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

JAMES DOUGLAS.

By His Excellency's Command.

WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

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NOTICE,

POLICE OFFICE, VICTORIA, V. I., 29th March, 1861.

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED on or before the 10th April, for supplying the Prison at Victoria with MEAT, BREAD, VEGETABLES and GROCERIES for three months.

Tenders to be sealed and directed to the Acting-Governor of the Jail at Victoria. a3 td.

NOTICE! NOTICE!!

FOR SALE CHEAP,

400 new barrels for Pickling Salmon,
4 tons English Salt,
1 large Salmon Nett,

Inquire at JULES RUEFF'S.

a21m Wharf st, opposite J. J. Southgate & Co's.

Victoria Coal Company.

COAL AND WOOD.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE ALWAYS on hand a full supply of COAL and WOOD at lowest market rates.

JOHN T. LITTLE & CO., Agents, City Wharf, foot of Yates street

ap3 1m 2p

FOR SALE LOW.

NAILS, SUGAR, BARLEY, OATS, HAY, BRAN, MIDDLINGS. In lots to suit purchasers, wholesale and retail, by

S. ANDERSON.

ap1 1m Cor. of Broad and View Sts.

JAMES E. WOLFE,

Architect, Contractor and Builder,

WILL PREPARE

Plans, Designs and Specifications

FOR BRICK, FRAME AND FIREPROOF

BUILDINGS

Wharves, Bridges,

And Structures of every description, and Superintend their execution—guaranteeing entire satisfaction in all cases.

Is also prepared to CONTRACT for the Erection of Buildings and Works of all kinds, upon terms as moderate as can be afforded by any one who will do justice to their patrons.

P. S.—But he will not, in any case, allow himself to bid in competition with his fellow-artizans and mechanics, on work for which he may make the Plans and Specifications, as doing so would be unfair to others.

JAMES E. WOLFE,

Yates street, between Government and Broad.

ap2 1m

VANCOUVER ISLAND COLONY, TO WIT:

A COURT OF ASSIZES AND GENERAL GAOL DELIVERY is appointed to be holden on MONDAY, the 8th day of April next, at the Court House, Victoria, at the hour of TEN in the forenoon, before the Honorable Chief Justice Cameron, a Justice of our Lady the Queen, assigned to explain, hear, and determine all Treasons, Misprisions of Treasons, Felonies, Misdeeds, Offences, and Injuries whatsoever and wheresoever within the said Colony committed.

And also to deliver all the Gaols and every the Gaol of our Lady the Queen.

And for the trial of all issues whether Civil or Criminal.

WM B. NAYLOR, Sheriff of Vancouver Island.

Sheriff's Office, Victoria, March 28th, 1861. } m30 1w

FOR SALE.

A Valuable Steam Sawmill,

With all the Necessary Apparatus,

DWELLING HOUSES, &c

THE SUBSCRIBERS OFFER FOR sale, on easy terms, and free from all incumbrance, their

SAWMILL AT SOOKE,

—AND—

600,000 feet of Saw Logs

In the vicinity of the Mills and convenient to the water, with a fine tract of land densely wooded, the timber being mostly red fir and spruce.

The Mill is driven by an 80-horse power Engine, having a capacity of working 40,000 feet of lumber in the 24 hours.

The proximity of this property to Victoria, and the facilities for supplying the market with lumber at a very low rate, render it one of the best and safest investments in the colony.

For price and further particulars apply to the subscribers, or to Macdonald & Co., Yates street, for the Messrs. Muir.

m29 1m MICHAEL MUIR.

FURNITURE.

BY LATE ARRIVALS, THE UNDERsigned have received additions to their hitherto well-assorted stock of Furniture—and now offer

PAINTED SETS, ten pieces;
EXTENSION TABLES, 8 and 10 feet long;
CENTRE TABLES, Serpentine and round tops, assorted sizes;
CARD TABLES, harp and square pillars;
COMMON " 2½, 3 and 3½ long, with drawers; also Cherry, Walnut, and painted pine leaf tables;
BEDSTEADS, Mahogany French, Cottage, double and single;
LOUNGES, spring seats, in damask and leather covers;
SOFAS, spring seats, hair cloth, with round and pillow ends;
DESKS, with fall and door fronts;
CHEFFONIERS, walnut and mahony carved fronts, 3 shelves, fret work;
BUREAUS, one-half marble top, scroll and painted pine, 4 and 6 drawers;
WRAT-NOTS, walnut and mahogany, 5 and 6 shelves;
MIRRORS, in gilt and mahogany frames, assorted sizes, for parlors, chambers and saloons;
CHILDREN'S cribs and cradles, also high and low chairs, assorted patterns;
CHAIRS, mahogany hair cloth, spring seats, cane and wood seat, office, oak, dining, Grecian cane, heavy bar room, and common wood seats;
ROCKERS, spring seats, mahogany and cane seats and backs, sewing and arm;
SINKS, wash stands, chair cushions, coverlets, towel racks, willow cribs, &c.

—ALSO—

BEDDING,

Pulu, Curled Hair, Moss, Wool, and Straw Mattresses, best Feather Pillows, all sizes; in the manufacture of which we use none but the best materials, and guarantee our work.

PIERCE & SEYMOUR,

Broad street, between Yates and View.

Victoria, V. I., Feb 22. ma23 1m2p

MISCELLANEOUS.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Wm. Tucker & Wm Gibson, was dissolved on the 28th March by mutual consent. Wm. Tucker will pay all debts and liabilities and collect all debts due the concern and continue the business.

WM. GIBSON.
WM. TUCKER.

Witnesses: JOHN M'CLYMONT, JOHN CROWTHER.

a3 1m

Jockey Club.

FROM UNAVOIDABLE CIRCUMstances the meeting of the Jockey Club advertised for Tuesday evening, April 2d, is postponed to FRIDAY, the 5th inst., at 8 o'clock, when all members and subscribers are requested punctually to attend. a3 1d

STOLEN,

FROM UNION WHARF, ONE YAWL Boat from 12 to 14 feet long, and painted brown. Any person returning the same will receive a liberal reward from

PEASE & BOYCE, Union Wharf.

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A. Hoffman,

Cor. of Yates and Government Streets.

I HAVE RECEIVED PER LAST Steamer the best and finest assortment of

Ladies' Goods

ever imported into this colony. Among them may be found goods of the costliest as well as cheapest fabrics.

Further praise is unnecessary, inasmuch as the goods will speak for themselves.

Those of my patrons who will favor me with an early call, will be sure to obtain a first choice.

m11 1m2p A. HOFFMAN.

A. HOFFMAN,

Cor. Yates and Government Sts.,

HAS NOW ON HAND THE BEST ASsortments of

Ball and Evening Dresses.

Among them are white, light blue, pink and canary colored Plain Silks. Also,

Rich Silk Walking Dresses,

SILK MANTILLAS,

etc., etc., etc.

I would call particular attention to my newly received Stock of

Ladies', Misses', Children's and Boys' Hats,

Of all styles and prices.

WHITE VEILS, INFANT DRESSES,

WAISTS AND ROBES.

A perfect assortment of Foulard DeLaines, of every color.

Always on hand, an assortment of Carpets, Druggets, Window Blinds and fixtures, Matting, etc., etc.

In House Furnishing Goods, I am always assorted.

Orders from any part of the country promptly attended to.

m11 1m 2p A. HOFFMAN.

FOR SALE,

EX. "ALMA," FROM LONDON.

8 QR. CASKS PALE SHERRY,
8 qr casks superior Port,
4 qr casks Andran & Cie pale Brandy,
50 cases Alex. Lespiant pale Brandy, 1 doz each
77 cases Vieux Cognac pale Brandy, 1 doz each
25 cases B. Frere's superior old pale Brandy, 1 doz each
50 cases Duckworth & Co.'s finest Jamaica Rum, 1 doz each
20 cases Duckworth & Co.'s superior pale Sherry, 1 doz each
10 cases Duckworth & Co.'s old Port, 1 doz each
30 cases Venoge & Cie fine pale Champagne, 1 doz each
10 cases Gerothwohl & Cie's first quality sparkling Hock
10 cases Gerothwohl & Cie's first quality sparkling Moselle
200 green cases, each 2 gallons finest Holland Geneva
500 long flint Guns,
500 cases Booth & Co.'s No 1 Old Tom,
6 frames Asphaltic Roofing Felt,
4 frames Brown Sheathing Felt.

Ex. "R. W. WOOD," FROM HONGKONG.

3480 bags No 1 China Rice,
154 bags Manila Coffee,
79 bags Java Coffee,
80 cases fine black Pepper
50 boxes tin Plates,
128 coils Manila Rope,
18 cases 22 and 24 oz Muntz Metal,
1 cask Nails.

SAMUEL PRICE & CO.,

ma26 Wharf St., cor. Johnson St.

AGENCY

OF THE

San Francisco Mission Woolen Mills.

WE BEG TO CALL TO THE ATTENtion of dealers in Victoria, British Columbia and Ports on Puget Sound, that we are prepared to execute with dispatch orders for the following goods, samples of which can be examined at our office:

Family Blankets, all wool, superior quality;
Mackinaw do. do. do. do.;
Scarlet do. do. do. do;
Blue do. do. do. do;
Grey do. do. do. do.;
Golden State Gentlemen's Long Shawls, all wool, with plain or graduated borders;
Tweeds, double and single width, all wool, and desirable colors;
Eureka Flannels, all colors, and of extra quality;
Overshirts, a variety of patterns, sizes and colors.

The above goods are manufactured of selected wools, and are superior in quality to the same class of imported fabrics.

SAM'L PRICE & CO.

Victoria, V. I., March 26, 1861. ma27 1m

THE NORTHERN

ASSURANCE COMPANY,

(ESTABLISHED 1836,)

For Fire and Life Assurance

AT HOME AND ABROAD.

CAPITAL £1,250,760 STERLING.

The undersigned have been appointed Agents Victoria.

JANION & GREEN.

Victoria, August, 1860. fe21 6m

R. C. JANION, Liverpool. { JANION, GREEN & CO., Honolulu, Sandwich Islands

JANION & GREEN,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Foot of Johnson st., near the Bridge,

fe25-6m* Victoria, V. I.

Agents for the Liverpool Board of Underwriters

Just Received per "Constitution"

AND OTHER LATE ARRIVALS, AND for sale by the undersigned, a large amount of Sandwich Island Produce, consisting in part of—

SUGAR—200 packages assorted qualities.

MOLASSES—91 barrels of superior quality.

PULU—30 bales very dry and in fine order.

SALT—10 tons packed in iron-bound barrels, fit for packing Salmon or Beef.

—ALSO—

90,000 Manila Cigars and Cheroots, of a superior quality.

m19 1m JANION & GREEN

IRON, IRON, IRON—Just received, a large assortment of first quality Iron consisting of Sheet, Bar, Boiler, and Shutter Iron.

—ALSO—

CAST STEEL and a large assortment of Files.

For sale by JANION & GREEN.

BLANKETS—White and Blue, 2½ and 3-point, Just received and for sale by

m15 1m JANION & GREEN.

SAN JUAN LIME,

ON HAND AND FOR SALE BY

PEASE & BOYCE,

m5 1m Union Wharf

NOTARY PUBLIC.

MR. DRAKE, 63 GOVERNMENT Street has received the appointment of Notary Public for these Colonies. ma26 tf

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Thursday Morning, April 4, 1861.

Later from the San Juan River Gold Mines.

We were waited on yesterday by Charles H. Brown and Franklin Burch, two miners who arrived in a canoe the day before from the newly-discovered gold mines on San Juan river, near Cape Flattery. They were gone from this city eight days, and ascended the river seven miles, where meeting some miners descending the river, they turned back, on learning that the water was too high to permit of successful operations at present. One man with whom they conversed had been up the river some 30 or 40 miles, and had came upon a deserted miner's cabin on the edge of the stream. Some Indians who were with him said that this cabin had been occupied by a negro, who worked there all last summer with a rocker and made from $3 to $4 per day. He had left his claim in the fall and they had not seen him since. The man said he encountered no snow or ice; obtained a good color wherever he prospected, but did not see anything to induce him to stop there and so returned. Our informants describe the country as fairly alive with game of every description. High gravelly flats or benches extend back for several miles to the foot of the mountains.

The Indians at San Juan harbor are called Patchinas. They say that gold has been found from time to time there for many years past on all the creeks. They mention two instances last summer when two nuggets, weighing from four to six dollars each, were found in the creek and sold to a trader named Cooper.

The bars on the San Juan are extensive, and of a hard, gravelly nature. In many places high sand banks are seen. The whole stream presents very much the appearance of Rock Creek. Owing to the fallen timber (found on every creek so far discovered on this island), it is impossible to ascend by means of canoes; and the prospectors were compelled to walk along the river-banks. The river is winding in its course; has a smooth, gravelly bottom; is from five to ten rods wide; in some places runs swiftly, and occasionally is from thirty to forty feet deep.

There are many fine sites for saw-mills along the banks of the river. The trees are much larger than any met with on the Sound. One cedar measured nine feet through. Rich land, suitable for farms, is also plentiful high up the river; but there is none found near the mouth.

Finding their stock of provisions running low, and learning from the Indians that two months must elapse before the snow would melt in the mountains, thus enabling them to prospect the country thoroughly, our informants concluded to return. On their way back they picked up two pieces of gold weighing respectively five and ten cents each. The five-cent piece was shown us yesterday. It has a dull, yellowish appearance, and is shaped like a melon-seed. It was picked up at the mouth of a small creek nine miles this side of San Juan, and was found lying on the bed-rock. A party of four, who were on their way back to town with our informants, became encouraged by this "find," and after a short search discovered several other coarse pieces on the bed-rock. They then concluded to ascend the creek and give it a thorough prospecting before their return. Their stock of provisions being light, they are expected here in a few days, and, if possible, we shall lay the result of their explorations before our readers. There is no doubt but gold exists on all the creeks in that neighborhood; but whether in payable quantities is a question that nothing but thorough prospecting will decide. We hope they will be fully explored during the coming season, and the yellow *oro*, if really in the earth, put in circulation.

THE LOSS OF THE ELIZABETH ROEDER.—This vessel, which capsized on Tuesday, has not yet been heard from. Capt. Fraser is at the Royal Hospital, suffering from an injury to one of his ribs, received by being struck with the boom as the vessel went over, and from exhaustion brought on by exposure. He says that the vessel capsized off Albert Head in a sudden squall, and drifted to within three miles of Race Rocks, when he and his companions left her, and were carried in the skiff to Beacon Hill and thrown ashore by the breakers. He thinks the schooner has not sunk. She was valued at $800, and was fifteen tons burthen. McNamara and Morrison, the other two men who were on board of her at the time of the accident, have entirely recovered. They, together with Capt. Fraser, were kindly cared for by the Rev. Mr. Macfie, and Messrs. McKay and Clink, of the St. Andrew's Society, on the evening of the disaster, and yesterday the numerous members of that association were assiduous in their attentions to the unfortunate men.

AT THE HOSPITAL.—There are twelve patients at the Royal Hospital afflicted as follows: Paralysis, 3; ulcer, 2; frost-bitten, 2; rheumatism, 3; injury to ribs, 1; consumption, 1.

SAILED.—The barks D. M. Hall, Glimpse, and Ionia, and brig Crimea, sailed yesterday for ports on the Sound, to load with lumber and coal.

THE MAILS.—Capt. Fleming, of the steamer Eliza Anderson, yesterday brought the Overland Mail to this place, but on his departure declined carrying a small mail to the Sound. This refusal was based on the grounds that he has carried our mails for months past without remuneration, and that the Government has declined to grant his vessel a subsidy of $250 per month for a continuance—offering, instead, the sum of $150. We do not consider the sum asked by Capt. Fleming exorbitant, when we take into consideration the many services he has rendered us without fee or reward, and hope that no reasonable effort will be spared by our Government to raise the required amount. If, however, it is found that our small revenue will not permit of the outlay, we shall have to content ourselves with employing sail-vessels to perform the service in future. The Schooner Sarah Newton was dispatched to Port Townsend with the rejected mail-bags yesterday afternoon.

THE "LIZZIE ROBERTS" CASE.—Benj. Ure, master of the schooner Lizzie Roberts, the vessel seized day before yesterday by Superintendent Smith, on suspicion of being engaged in smuggling, was yesterday discharged from custody by the Police magistrate. The vessel is held, however, and proceedings against her will probably be commenced before a Court of Admiralty.

ARRIVAL OF THE "CALEDONIA."—This steamer arrived from New Westminster yesterday morning. She brought a few passengers, and $3000 in gold dust. The news is unimportant.

The Sound Mails.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST.—The steamer Eliza Anderson has been in the habit of conveying the Sound Mails and the Overland Mails (since the establishment of this service) weekly, between this place and Port Townsend, a short distance not provided for in the international postal arrangements between Great Britain and the United States.

For this she has hitherto received no remuneration, and several weeks ago the Captain and principal owner demanded of this Government the sum of $500 per month for continuing to carry the mails. This sum was subsequently reduced to $250.

The demand was considered exorbitannt, and an offer of $150 (quite equivalent to the very small trouble of bringing over one, or at the most, two small bags, from the Post office at Port Townsend) was tendered and refused by Captain Fleming, who has expressed his ultimatum to be $250.

This morning the usual bag, containing a few papers and letters for the Sound only, and of infinitely more importance to the residents there than the inhabitants of this place, was sent as usual on board the Eliza Anderson and was returned to the Post office with a refusal to take it.

There is no doubt, Mr. Editor, that the "laborer is worthy of his hire" and that all persons engaged in commercial transactions have a perfect right to a fair and equitable adjustment of their claims; but there is such a thing also as "trading on necessity," and by an uncourteous act putting a whole community to the greatest inconvenience; whereas in a very short period a satisfactory arrangement might, no doubt, have been made between both parties.

The mail was subsequently dispatched by a sailing vessel.

With this plain statement of facts, I beg leave to lay the matter before the public of Victoria. Yours, respectfully,

VERITAS.

Items from British Columbia.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—Having taken a turn through the lower part of British Columbia, it may please you to have a short account of its progress from one who has been over the ground before.

I left here on the 15th March, and arrived same day at New Westminster, which I could not help noticing had gone ahead greatly since my last visit. Where I had only seen dense forests and almost impenetrable thickets, now neat villas alongside of well made roads are starting up; while by the river side I noticed a good, substantial wharf and brick warehouse are being erected by our townsman, Mr. Thos. Harris. Proceeding to Douglas by one of those neat little steamers now plying on the inland waters, I was much pleased by the improvements visible there, and thence by the Douglas trail to the 28-mile house. This road I found in very good order, for which, people in that quarter informed me, Governor Douglas' special grant in its behalf has to be thanked; and from its condition the money seems to have been judiciously expended. Next morning I started in a small boat up the lake and took the steamer on the Lillooet Lake to Fort Pemberton. It is here that the new line of road is to start from, passing through a country heavily timbered, and my impression, from the general run of the country, is, that some pretty heavy cutting and bridging will have to be done by the lucky (or unlucky?) parties who get the contract. When finished, however, it will, if properly made, be a much better road than the "first Portage."

I passed many miners on their way by this route to Cariboo; and when the roads are made (as this is by far the shortest and best way to the upper country), the number will be much increased.

Some care seems to be taken to provide for the wants of the inner man at Cayoosh, a brewery having been started on the flat to wet and cheer the *drouthy*; and all there seem to have immense confidence in "the good time coming," when men shall flock along the route for the golden land of Cariboo.

From the mines your advices seem to be pretty full; so I shall not trespass on your space further, except in closing to mention that a strong effort was made at New Westminster to impress on me that the Governor Douglas was unsafe; but having every confidence in Capt. Irvine, I persisted and made the trip down in 6½ hours, even though we had a head wind and heavy sea in the Gulf, through which she came as steady as any other vessel could have done.

GAMA.

Arrival of the Overland Mail.

The steamer Eliza Anderson, Capt. Fleming, arrived yesterday morning from the Sound, bringing the Overland Mail, and late Sound and Oregon exchanges:

PUGET SOUND.

RETURN OF THE EXPLORING PARTY.—Messrs. De Lacy, Blankenship, Longmyre and Packwood have returned from their expedition to discover a route to the Wenatchee mines, and made a report to a meeting of our citizens on Wednesday evening. They reported that their provisions becoming low they were compelled to return. They had succeeded in penetrating farther than before attempted by white men, and found as fine a section of country as is known upon the coast. The meeting adjourned to meet again to take further steps in regard to opening a trail.—*Standard.*

FIRE.—We learn that a fire occurred on Hawk's prairie on the 26th March, burning the house of Mr. Thomas Johnson. Loss, $250.—*Ibid.*

Capt. Barrington, of the Growler, met with very heavy weather off Point Partridge on his last trip to Victoria. The sea swept over the deck, taking with it the cattle over the bulwarks. He lost eight head, that had to be cut loose from their head ropes by which they were hanging. Barrington himself was overboard twice.—*Pioneer.*

It is rumored that Col. Baker met with quite a rebuff from Mr. Lincoln. It was about appointing B. F. Harding, of Oregon, to the Indian Superintendency. Mr. Lincoln refused the Colonel. The Colonel then *demanded* it. Mr. Lincoln—scene third and last—concisely informed Col. Baker *who* was *President.*—*Ibid.*

CATTLE SHIPMENT.—On Tuesday last the schooner Flying Mist, Capt. Berry, took from Keach's wharf one hundred head of cattle for Victoria, whence they were destined for Fraser River, for the miners. This, though a large freight of cattle for one trip, is by no means an unusual shipment for the Flying Mist, which has been profitably employed for the past two years mainly in this trade.—*Herald.*

DEATH AT PORT DISCOVERY.—We learn that a man by the name of Moore died at Port Discovery on Friday last, and was buried at the head of the Bay on Sunday. We could not learn any particulars.—*Northwest.*

OREGON.

LADY FRANKLIN.—This estimable lady returned on the Panama Monday night, *en route* for San Francisco. She proceeds on the Julia this morning as far as the Cascades, for the purpose of seeing the splendid scenery along the Columbia river.—*Advertiser, March 27th.*

MINES.—The Julia came down last night with a large number of orders for mining goods, and about $2500 in dust. Tracy & Co. had $1700.—*Times, 26th.*

BIRTH.

At Claquito, March 14th, Mrs. John H. Harwood, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

On the 24th inst., in Portland, by Rev. T. H. Pearne, Mr. S. L. Conger to Miss C. M. Kern, all of that city.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ARRIVED.

April 2—Sloop Sherman, Whitford, San Juan
Str Gov Douglas, Irving, New Westminster
April 3—Str Eliza Anderson, Fleming, Port Townsend
Sloop Siwash Mary, Beale, San Juan
Str Caledonia, Frain, New Westminster

CLEARED.

April 2—Schr Alpha, Jenkins, Nanaimo
Bark Ionia, Bartlett, Port Townsend
Sloop Sherman, Whitford, San Juan
Brig Crimea, Low, Port Townsend
Str Otter, Mouat, New Westminster
Schr Col. Ebey, Hare, Port Townsend
Sloop Alarm, Hollins, Cowichan
April 3—Str Eliza Anderson, Fleming, Port Townsend
Schr Sarah Newton, Bynam, Port Townsend
Bark D M Hall, Blake, Port Townsend
Schr Kossuth, Oliver, Port Townsend

Vancouver Island.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency JAMES DOUGLAS, Companion of the most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Vancouver Island and its Dependencies, Vice Admiral of the same, etc., etc., etc.

WHEREAS, I have been empowered by Her Majesty's Government to take such steps as may tend to promote the settlement of country land in the said Colony;

And whereas, it is expedient to extend the provisions of a Proclamation given under my hand and the Public Seal of this Colony and dated the 19th day of February, 1861, to the whole of Vancouver Island and its Dependencies.

Now, therefore, be it known unto all men, that The provisions of the said Proclamation, given under my hand and the Public Seal of this Colony and dated the 19th day of February, 1861, shall, from and after the date hereof, extend to and include the entirety of Vancouver Island and its Dependencies.

{L. S.} Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the said colony, at Victoria, Vancouver Island, this twenty-first day of March, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and the twnety-fourth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

JAMES DOUGLAS.

By His Excellency's Command.

WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG,
Acting-Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, VICTORIA, March 6th, 1861.

ACTS OF THE LOCAL LEGISLATURE passed during the last session, can be obtained at Messrs. Hibben & Carswell's, Yates street.

ma5 1m WM. A. G. YOUNG.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT according to the provisions of the "Land Registry Act, 1860" the Land Registry Office will be opened for the Registration of Titles, &c., in the Court House building, Victoria, on the Fifth day of April next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

E. GRAHAM ALSTON,
Registrar-General.

Victoria, V. I., March 4, 1861. ma5 1m

Lumber, Lime, Building Stone BRICK, &C.

20 M FT. ASSORTED RED WOOD LUMBER,
20 M ft. T and G. Flooring,
10 M ft. Cedar,
200 bbls V. I. Lime,
100 tons Salt Spring Building Stone,
100 M Brick,

For Sale by
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City Wharf, foot Yates st.

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MILLINERY GOODS!

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods

TOILET ARTICLES!

Laces and Embroideries,

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DRY GOODS EMPORIUM,

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Opposite HIBBEN & CARSWELL'S Stationers' Hall.

M. WINKLER HAVING JUST RETURNED from San Francisco with a large and complete assortment of

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Millinery Goods,

Laces, Collars,

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MANTILLAS,

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SHAWLS,

ETC., ETC., ETC.

GENTLEMEN'S

FURNISHING GOODS!

Such as Davies & Jones' and Atkinson's

SHIRTS,

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UNDERSHIRTS AND DRAWERS,

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The Goods are all of the LATEST STYLES and PATTERNS, and were carefully selected from the Stocks of the best San Francisco Importers of European and American Goods, with particular reference to this Market.

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FROM THE

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These Seeds can be relied upon as FRESH and true to their kind.

For sale by

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A CHOICE COLLECTION AND GREAT VARIETY.

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A large lot of

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DRUGGISTS,
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SHELDON'S MAMMOTH GIFT ENTERTAINMENT!

AT THE

New Theatre!

VICTORIA, V. I.,

On Saturday Even'g, April 13th, 1861,

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF D. SHELDON,

on which occasion, in addition to a Grand

LYRIC AND DRAMATIC PERFORMANCE,

by many talented Artistes

83 MAGNIFICENT PRIZES!!

Valued at $2,500,

will be distributed among the Ticket-holders on the Evening of the last performance.

A Committee of gentlemen will be chosen by the audience to see that the prizes are properly distributed among the ladies and gentlemen, who are sharers in this grand affair.

The prizes will be on exhibition at Mr. E. H. Vauenberg's Jewelry Store, Yates street, where tickets may be obtained, and seats secured. Ladies and gentlemen are respectfully requested to call and examine the articles. ma27-td

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—AT—

FORT PEMBERTON

ON THE

HARRISON-LILLOOET ROUTE,

Known as the

HALF-WAY HOUSE,

Situated between Anderson and Lillooet Lakes, immediately on the Road, consisting of a

Ranch of 320 Acres fine Farming Land.

THERE ARE SITUATED ON THE property one large two-story House and kitchen together with a Barn capable of storing 75 to 100 tons of hay, and accommodations for 75 animals; also, Warehouse for storing goods. The grass is blue-top, and makes the best hay in the market. The Ranch is fenced in.

There are a pair of good plough horses, 75 hogs, 100 chickens, besides sundry other stock.

The place is offered for sale, with or without the stock, as the purchaser may desire, cheap for cash.

Address,
J. HUGHES & CO.,
On the premises.
Or, EDGAR & AIME,
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Seeds! Seeds! Seeds!

Spring Seed Wheat,
Native and Foreign Garden Seeds, and
Grass Seeds, WARRANTED.

FOR SALE BY

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WINES, LIQUORS, ALE and PORTER of the best description and most reasonable terms, always on hand. Lunch on table from 10 A. M. until 2 P. M.

☞ Call and try our Hennessys' Brandy, Swaine, Boord & Co.'s Old Tom, and Bass No. 3 Ale. They cannot be beat in the market. ma18 1m*

Mr. T. GROB,

ARCHITECT AND ARTIST,

HAS LATELY ARRIVED FROM SAN Francisco, and is now prepared to fulfil orders in all the different branches of his profession. Plans and specifications for Buildings, Machine Drawings, Landscape, etc., etc., made at the shortest notice.

Mr. Grob has opened a Drawing school for Ladies and Gentlemen, and an Evening Class for the benefit of those who cannot attend during the day.

Terms for Evening Class, $8 per month. Visitors are requested to call and examine specimens at corner of Government and Broughton streets, Victoria. m21 1m

FOR SALE.

750 GALLONS CAMPHENE, IN LOTS to suit.

J. J. SOUTHGATE & Co.,
Wharf street

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FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT ON A STEAMER.—The Manchester (England) *Guardian*, of January the 22d, relates the following deplorable disaster:

Captain Barton, of the Zouave, P. Y. S., was among the passengers on board the Emerald, which left Cowes on Saturday. He entered into conversation with a gentleman standing at the time amidships, near the engines, the skylight covering of which was about half open. Turning round somewhat hastily he staggered and fell, falling partially on the engine through the open portion of the skylight raised for ventilation. The crank in working over caught Captain Barton, and dragged him through the framing on to the cylinder cover. This was the work of an instant, and the machinery revolving once, literally tore his body to pieces. His intestines were dragged out by the crank, his heart was separated from his body, his head was smashed, and both his thighs were broken. The lower portions of his person was unhurt. Death was, of course, instantaneous. So quickly was the machinery stopped that only half a turn was taken after Captain Barton fell through. The machinery presented a fearful spectacle, being thick with blood and torn flesh; the blood of Capt. Barton actually boiled on the cylinder. The remains were eventually gathered together and sewed up in a blanket.

HORRIBLE ACT OF BARBARITY.—Another of those acts of barbarism which occasionaly disgrace the South and shock every sense of humanity, was perpetrated in Harris county, Georgia. A negro man named George, owned by Abel Nelson, Sr., was suspected of having committed a gross personal outrage upon the wife of Isaac N. Middlebrook and upon that suspicion was arrested and lodged in jail. A night or two afterwards an infuriated mob overcoming the opposition of the Sheriff broke into the prison, seized the negro, and conveying him to the outskirts of the town, there chained him to a tree, and despite his earnest protestations of innocence, burnt him to death. Can reflecting Southern men justly complain of the bitter hostility of the North to their "institutions," when acts so revolting to civilization are its not unfrequent indidants?

NOT PERSONAL.—The Boston *Courier* tells a good story of Gen. Butler. The General was in Washington the other day, and during a conversation with Southern men, one of them, a Georgian, said, "I do not believe there is an honest man in Massachusetts." After a moment's reflection, he added, "I beg to assure you, Mr. Butler, I mean nothing personal." The General responded, "I believe there are a great many honest men in Georgia; but in saying so, sir, I do not mean anything personal."

A WIFE ORDERED OUT IN THE SOUTH.—A Miss White, says the *Harrisburg Telegraph*, who was married to a gentlemen from Mississippi, a few weeks ago, and accompanied her husband to that State, which she intended making her future residence, returned to Harirsburg on Tuesday afternoon, having been ordered to leave the Southern domain at a certain date, before the expiration of ten hours. It seems that she made a free use of her Northern sentiments. What was done with the husband we did not learn.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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Put up in extra Barrels and Half Barrels.

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In handsome Glass Jugs, one dozen in a case.

MY TWO ABOVE BRANDS OF CHOICEST Old Rye Whisky stand unrivalled for purity and high flavor, and will be found far superior to any heretofore shipped to California

Having now an Agency in San Francisco, my pure Whiskies will be for sale by Dealers throughout California.

☞ I warrant none shipped under Four Years old.

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Put up in Quart Bottles, in cases of one and two dozen, and for sale by Druggists, Grocers and Liquor Merchants everywhere.

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Bitters.—No medicine has ever achieved a higher reputation. In every section of the country its merits are known and fully acknowledged. The leading physicians in the country have expressed their warm approval of this preparation, as uniting all the best qualities of a tonic and invigorator, without kindling an appetite for alcoholic liquors In cases of diseases of the digestive organs, to which all unacclimated persons are from necessity, exposed, as the proper diet cannot at all times be had, the Bitters will be found to be the quickest corrective and most reliable remedy yet discovered. Diarrhœa, Dysentery, and the various bilious and intermittent fevers all yield to the curative properties of this medicine. No person should be without the Bitters a single day.

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FRANK FABER HAVING GREATLY enlarged his Culinary Department, takes pleasure in informing the public generally that he will, after the first of January, open his Restaurant in an entirely new style. He will thereafter lay on his Tables, a bill of Fare, so that his customers can eat whatsoever best suits their taste. Having had many year's experience in his business, and taking the head of the Cooking Department himself, he feels assured that none can give better or cheaper meals than him. All the delicacies as well as the substantials of the season at from 6¼ to 12½ cents a plate.

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It will be their constant aim to make the

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32 Sleeping Apartments,

TWO SITTING ROOMS

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All well furnished and arranged on the most approved styles for ventilation and comfort.

Superior Accommodations for Families.

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—AND—

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RINGO TAKES THIS METHOD OF thanking his friends and the public, for their liberal patronage during the past two years, and would state that he has removed to the building lately occupied by N. Moore & Co, which he has fitted up in the very best style, that he can now offer large, airy, and commodious bedrooms to the travelling public.

The table will always be furnished with all the delicacies that the market affords.

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N. B. SUPPERS AND DINNERS FOR Balls and Parties contracted for, and warranted to give satisfaction. fe15 3m

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NO ADVANCE IN PRICES Coaches of the Hotel always in readiness.

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Board and Lodging House,

SCOTT'S WHARF, NEW WESTMINSTER.

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Board and Lodging per week	$8 00
Single Meals	50
Beds per night	50

Parties can have their beds free by furnishing their own blankets. The house is pleasantly situated, being opposite the theatre, and on the wharf where all the steamers start. Here in fact the boys will find everything skookum. ma9 1m

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Victoria, V. I., Feb. 27, 1861. ma27 1m

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Of every Description;

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Just received, the latest styles of

BALTIC SHIRTS,

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